2. The principles upon which the Survey Department valued inam villages came under discussion in 1881 and the final settlement of quit-rent made by that Department in accordance with the Notification of 13th February 1874 was, by Proceedings No. 4701-9—133, dated 2nd September 1881, ordered to be revised, adopting for purposes of valuation the survey assessment of the lands under cultivation in the inam village with 25 per cent of the assessment on the arable waste, together with a reasonable pasture rent on the unarable waste; and, pending such revised valuation, both the quit-rent and the local fund cess were directed to be collected on the old recorded valuation only.

3. It has come to the notice of the Dewan that certain holders of inam villages are allowed to withhold the payment of quit-rent and local fund cess on the pretence that the revised settlement directed in the Proceedings of 2nd September 1881 has not yet been completed. The special attention of Deputy Commissioners is drawn to para 5 of the Proceedings above quoted, directing that, pending the revised valuation, both quit-rent and local fund cess should be collected on the "old recorded valuation" of the village. What was ordered to be held in abeyance was the quit-rent and local fund cess calculated upon the survey valuation of the village made in accordance with Notification No. 292, dated 13th February 1874.

4. The Inam Settlement of villages for which Inam title-deeds were issued before 12th October 1872 will not be re-opened, and in their case quit-rent and local fund cess should be levied upon the value recorded in the title-deeds issued.

5. In the case of other inam villages, quit-rent and local fund cess should be levied upon the value recorded by the Inam Department, pending the final revised valuation directed in Proceedings No. 4701-9—133, dated 2nd September 1881.

6. Deputy Commissioners are requested to adopt measures for the early recovery of quit-rent and local fund cess in accordance with the foregoing observations in cases in which they have hitherto been withheld.

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Chief Secretary.

EDUCATION.

The 8th August 1887.

MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIPS.

Applications will be received by the *Education Secretary, Bangalore*, up to the 31st August, for two Medical Scholarships of Rs. 25 a month each, tenable at the Madras Medical College for four years, during the course for the L. M. & S. degree commencing the 1st October next. Candidates must be Natives of Mysore, and have passed the B. A. or F. A. examination; preference will be given to the former.

The 12th August 1887.

SILVER MEDAL FOR AGRICULTURE.

Notice is hereby given that a Silver Medal of the value of Rs 15 is offered in the name of *K. Shamiengar and Brothers of the Sulekere Estate* to the candidate who obtains the highest number of marks in Agriculture at the Mysore Local Examination to be held in February 1888.

The 16th August 1887.

MEDICAL PUPILS.

Applications are invited from candidates willing to be trained as Hospital Assistants in the Madras Auxiliary Medical School, receiving scholarships from the Mysore State. Applications to be addressed to the *Education Secretary, Bangalore*, so as to reach by the 10th of September.

The 12th July 1887.

MIDDLE SCHOOL EXAMINATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Middle School Examination will be held on the 1st December next and following days at the following centres —

Bangalore. | Mysore. | Hassan. | Shimoga.

2. Candidates are required to send in their applications for examination *on printed forms*, which may be obtained on application to the undersigned. The forms to be used are eleven in number and marked respectively A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, K, L, M, N, and O :—

(*a*) Male "pupils" of the upper fourth class of an "ordinary" Government school (or of a corresponding class in a "recognized" aided or a "recognized" private school) are required to make their applications on form A.
(*b*) Female "pupils" in similar schools and classes on form B.
(*c*) Male pupils in industrial schools or classes on form C.
(*d*) Female pupils in industrial schools or classes on form D.
(*e*) Male pupils in science schools or classes on form E.
(*f*) Female pupils in science schools or classes on form F.
(*g*) Male pupils in art schools or classes on form G
(*h*) Female pupils in art schools or classes on form H.
(*i*) All other candidates (Males) on form I.
(*k*) All other candidates (Females) on form K.
(*l*) Candidates for the Pleadership Examination on form L.
(*m*) Candidates appearing under article 3 ii on form M.
(*n*) Male pupils in commercial schools or classes on form N.
(*o*) Female pupils in commercial schools or classes on form O.

3. The fee in the case of all pupils of the upper fourth class of a Government school, or of a corresponding class in a *recognized* aided or private school, or pupils in a recognized science, art, industrial or commercial school or class, is for boys Rs. 3½, for *all* female candidates Rs. 2½; and in the case of all other persons Rs. 10. The fee for each extra branch is rupee 1. The fee must be paid into a Government treasury or the Bank of Madras. In the latter case the duplicate receipt must be attached to the application. Fees will not be returned, nor will they be retained for a subsequent examination.

4. Native candidates taking up Persian, Sanskrit or Latin as their second language should also state their vernacular language in which they will be required to do their translation under Branch I.

5. Each candidate for this Examination must (under the orders of Government) submit a certificate showing that he or she has been vaccinated. This certificate must be attached to the candidate's application.

6. All applications should be sent direct post-paid, superscribed and addressed as follows :—

[*Application for admission to the Middle School Examination.*]

To

The Secretary to the Commissioner
for the U. C. S. Examinations,
Madras.

and they should be despatched so as to reach the Commissioner's office *not later than the 31st August next*, after which date no application will be received. Candidates anxious to assure themselves that their applications have been received should enclose *an addressed post-card in their respective applications*. Such post-cards will be simply initialled or stamped and returned through the post to the addressee. No other form of acknowledgment except that required by the Postal Rules regarding registered letters can possibly be given. The post-cards should bear the sender's address only, and *no other writing*.

7. No candidate will be admitted to the above Examination at any other place than that named in his or her application, and no candidate will be allowed to name more than one place; also pupils of the same school can be examined only at the same station. All candidates are required to select the station nearest to their permanent place of residence

8. In the case of all schools sending pupils to the Examination, the head master concerned should sign a declaration that his school has been recognized for the year by the Director of Public Instruction, quoting the authority in support of the statement, and that fees are levied in all departments of the school at the prescribed rates.

L. RICE,
Education Secretary.